



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Klaus GEIGER et al.

Group Art Unit: 2614

Application No.: 10/550,679

Examiner: D. FAULK

Filed: November 8, 2005

Docket No.: 125352

For: A METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING ACOUSTICAL TRANSFER
IMPEDANCE

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 29, 2009 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks. Claims 1-11 and 13-15 remain pending in this application.

Applicants appreciate the courtesies shown to Applicants' representatives by Examiner Faulk in the January 22, 2009 telephone interview. Applicants' separate record of the substance of the interview is incorporated into the following remarks.

Applicants appreciate the Office Action's indication that claims 6-11 and 13-15 are allowed. However, Applicants respectfully submit that all claims are allowable at least for the reasons discussed below.

The Office Action rejects claims 1-5 under 35 U.S.C. §101 as allegedly being directed to non-statutory subject matter. This rejection is respectfully traversed.